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Stockholm, July 21.

IT is said that the Commissioners appointed to examine the State Prisoners, for holding secret Intelligence with the Russian Minister here, have summed up the Evidence against them, and sentenced Baron Gyllenstierna to perpetual Imprisonment; M. Arkenholtz to one Month's Confinement, during which he is to be allowed only Bread and Water; M. Mathelius to the same Punishment as the latter, and to be banished the Country; and M. Bahr, Counsellor of the Chancery, to lose his Place.

Stockholm, July 31. On the 21st Instant the States met in full Diet, in which it was resolved to declare War against Russia. Orders were immediately issued that no Ship should be suffered to go out of the River. On the 28th at Noon War was proclaimed against Russia with the usual Formalities in all our principal Streets. On the 30th M. St. Severin, the French Ambassadour, set out from hence on his Return home: His Secretary is left entrusted with the Management of the Affairs of the Embassy till another Minister arrives. The States have resolved to add 600 Horse to the 2000 which are ordered to embark for Finland, and 800 Men belonging to the Artillery are to be embarked with the 1500 Guards.

Copenhagen, Aug. 15, N. S. A Swedish Brigantine is cruizing within a few Leagues of this Place, and two other Swedish Ships are gone into the Sound. The Report is, that they are to be joined by a Man of War and two Frigates at Gottenbourg, and then to go out upon the North Sea in quest of the new built Men of War which the Russians are now bringing from Archangel.

Vienna, Aug. 9, N. S. On the 30th past Count Daun, Prince of Thiano, Knight of the Order of the Golden Fleece, Privy Coun-

sellor to the late Emperor, Field Marshal, Colonel of a Regiment of Foot, Colonel of the Guard of Vienna, and Governor thereof, died here in the 73d Year of his Age. He was Governor of Turin in the memorable Siege in 1706: He was the next Year made Viceroy of Naples; and afterwards Provisional Governor of the Austrian Netherlands; and lastly Governor General of the Milanese. On the 4th Instant his Corpse was carried in a Hearse from his House to the Aulick Church of the Augustines, where being taken upon the Shoulders of some of the Royal Regiment of Guards, and some of the Guards of this City, was carried three Times round the Church within, attended by a great Number of Persons of Quality of both Sexes, and Military Officers. The Corpse being set down before the great Altar, and the usual Service and Ceremonies being performed, it was removed from thence and deposited in a Vault belonging to his Family. Five hundred Men of the City Guard stood drawn up before the said Church, and while the Interment was performing, gave three Vollicies with their Muskets. Upon the News of the taking of Passau, this Court has hurried away Prince Lobkowitz to Lintz, who is to make the best Dispositions he can in that Neighbourhood, being appointed to command the Troops which are assembling there and in Bohemia, and by the End of this Month may make a Body of between 12 and 15000 Men. The Queen's Army in Silesia is in Motion, and was to halt at Frankenstein, where they will be better situated to cover the Passage of Glatz into Bohemia, from whence they receive the best Part of their Provisions: But if upon this Motion his Prussian Majesty should think proper to make any on his Part, it is the general Opinion here, that Felt-Marshal Count Neipperg will be far from refusing a Battle.

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